

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Date: August 8, 2001

Docket: RA9-98-072/1230P

Serial No: 09/261,030

Group Art Unit: 2167

Filing Date: March 2, 1999

Examiner: Cuff, M.

Title: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR MANAGING A CONSUMER TRANSACTION

SYSTEM WITH A MOBILE MANAGEMENT DEVICE

Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 9, 2001, please find enclosed the following:

- 1) Amendment responsive to the Office Action dated May 9, 2001
- 2) Transmittal Letter (original and two copies)
- 3) Postcard
- 4) The fee for claims has been calculated as shown below:

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Fee Items	Claims remaining after Amendment	Highest # of Claims previously paid for	Extra Claims	Fee Rate	TOTAL
Total Claims	21	- 21 =	0	x 18.00	\$ 0.00
Independent	3	- 3 =	0	x 80.00	\$ 0.00
Multiple Dependent Claim fee (one or more, first added by this amendment) 270.00					\$ 0.00
Total Fees					\$ 0.00

If any unresolved issues remain, please contact Applicant's attorney at the telephone number below.

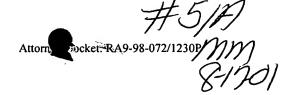
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Re Application of:

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 9, 2001, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please amend claim 1 to read:

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- 1. (amended) A method for efficiently handling an override condition in a point of sale device (POS), the method comprising:
 - (a) receiving override details at the POS device; and
- (b) sending the override details from the POS device to a wireless management device.

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